



Brownfields 2020 Assessment Grant Fact Sheet

Greenfield, IN

EPA Brownfields Program

EPA's Brownfields Program empowers states, communities, and other stakeholders to work together to prevent, assess, safely clean up, and sustainably reuse brownfields. A brownfield site is real property, the expansion, redevelopment, or reuse of which may be complicated by the presence or potential presence of a hazardous substance, pollutant, or contaminant. The Small Business Liability Relief and Brownfields Revitalization Act of 2002, as amended by the Brownfields Utilization, Investment and Local Development Act of 2018, was passed to help states and communities around the country clean up and revitalize brownfield sites. Under this law, EPA provides financial assistance to eligible applicants through five competitive grant programs: Multipurpose Grants, Assessment Grants, Revolving Loan Fund Grants, Cleanup Grants, and Environmental Workforce Development and Job Training Grants. Additionally, funding support is provided to state and tribal response programs through a separate mechanism.

Assessment Grant

\$300,000

EPA has selected the City of Greenfield for a Brownfields Assessment Grant. Community-wide grant funds will be used to conduct five to six Phase I and three to five Phase II environmental site assessments. Grant funds also will be used to produce between five and ten cleanup plans and conduct community outreach activities, including four to six public meetings. The target area for this grant is the Pennsy Trail Corridor, which is located in and around the city's former downtown and rail corridor. Priority sites are located in low-income residential or mixed-use areas and include a junkyard, grain elevator, power substation, former gas station, former rail depot, and a former towing yard.

Contacts

For further information, including specific grant contacts, additional grant information, brownfields news and events, and publications and links, visit the EPA Brownfields Web site (<http://www.epa.gov/brownfields>).

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